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UMITSUKI et al ) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
Application No.: 09/801,734 ) Examiner: Unassigned  
Filed: March 9, 2001 )  
For: A MULTIPLY TRANSFORMED )  
KOJI MOLD AND A METHOD OF )  
MANUFACTURING A FLAVOR )  
ENHANCER USING THE SAME )

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Enclosed is a reply to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures of April 18, 2001. The items checked below are appropriate:

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